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Operation Arctic Care serves Alaska's communities

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Spc. Jenni Beauchamp, 996th Area Support Medical Company, Arizona Army National Guard, assists a Nome resident in signing up for an optometry appointment at the Alaska National Guard armory in Nome April 17. Optometrists have performed 1,697 procedures, assisting 582 patients during Arctic Care 2012. Photo by Maj. Guy Hayes, Alaska National Guard Public Affairs.

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Staff Sgt. Valerie Hodges, 312th Medical Logistics Co., U.S. Army Reserves, of Texas, helps a patient waiting outside of the optometry clinic in Nome April 17. Optometrists have performed 1,697 procedures, assisting 582 patients during Arctic Care 2012. Photo by Maj. Guy Hayes, Alaska National Guard Public Affairs.

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Senior Airman Keisha Eanes, ophthalmic technician from Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson, administers an eye exam at the Alaska National Guard armory in Nome April 17. Optometrists have performed 1,697 procedures, assisting 582 patients during Arctic Care 2012. Photo by Maj. Guy Hayes, Alaska National Guard Public Affairs.

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Chief Master Sgt. Jackie Quattlebaum, 176th Medical Group, Alaska Air National Guard, helps a Nome resident sign up for an optometry appointment at the Alaska National Guard armory in Nome April 17. Optometrists have performed 1,697 procedures, assisting 582 patients during Arctic Care 2012. Photo by Maj. Guy Hayes, Alaska National Guard Public Affairs.

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Staff Sgt. Harry Choi, fuel operator for the Alaska Army National Guard from Bethel, ensures a UH-60 Black Hawk helicopter is refueled after completing a mission to Teller April 17 as part of Operation Arctic Care. Photo by Maj. Guy Hayes, Alaska National Guard Public Affairs.

To view a video of the optometry support for Operation Arctic Care visit the Alaska National Guard on YouTube or DVIDS:

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0sfQnThSHbA&feature=youtu.be http://dvidshub.net/r/bzk838